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CALENDAR

1915

June 16–July 28	Summer Term for Teachers.
June 17–August 27	Summer Law School.
September 1–4	*Wednesday to Saturday.* Examinations for Removal of Conditions.
September 6–8	*Monday to Wednesday.* Entrance Examinations. Registration.
September 9	*Thursday.* Lectures begin (Fall Term).
October 12	*Tuesday.* University Day.
November 25	Thanksgiving Day.
December 22	*Wednesday.* Christmas Recess begins (1:30.)

1916

January 3–4	*Monday and Tuesday.* Registration.
January 5	*Wednesday.* Lectures begin.
January 19–29	Mid-Year Examinations.
January 31	*Monday.* Lectures begin (Spring Term.)
February 22	*Tuesday.* Washington's Birthday.
April 29	*Saturday.* Selection of Commencement Orators.
May 16–26	Final Examinations.
May 28	*Sunday.* Baccalaureate Sermon. Sermon before the Y. M. C. A.
May 29	*Monday.* Senior Class Day. Inter-Society Banquet and Reunions.
May 30	*Tuesday.* Alumni Day. Meeting of the Board of Trustees. Inter-Society Debate.
May 31	*Wednesday.* Commencement Day. Summer Vacation begins.
September 6–9	*Wednesday to Saturday.* Examinations for Removal of Conditions.

THE SCHOOL OF LAW

Edward Kidder Graham, A. M., D. C. L., LL. D., President.
Lucius Polk McGehee, A. B., Dean.

Lucius Polk McGehee, A. B., *Professor of Law.*
Patrick Henry Winston, *Professor of Law.*
Atwell Campbell McIntosh, A. M., *Professor of Law.*

The law school which developed into the Law School of the University was founded in 1843 at Chapel Hill as a private school by William H. Battle, then a judge of the Superior Court, later a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State. In 1845 Judge Battle was made Professor of Law in the University and it was provided that the degree of Bachelor of Laws should be conferred on those completing the prescribed two year course. From the records of the University, however, it seems that few degrees were actually conferred. For a long time the school maintained a certain independence of the University. The Professor of Law received no salary though he enjoyed the fees from his classes, and the students were not entirely subject to the discipline of the University.

In 1899 the school was completely incorporated into the University with the late Judge James C. MacRae, previously a Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, as the first Dean of the Law School.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

For admission to the regular work of the school, students, unless they are "special students" as explained below, must have completed fourteen units of work. This amount of work is about equivalent to four years training in a high school. It is the same as the requirement for entrance to the Freshman class in the academic department of the University, and will be found explained on page 32-38 of the General Catalogue.

Students over twenty years of age who are not able to qualify as regular students may be admitted as "special students" upon presenting satisfactory evidence that they have received such training as will enable them to make profitable use of the opportunities offered in the school.

Seniors in the College will be admitted to take as electives courses selected, with the approval of the Dean, from the work of the law school.

The days for the registration of law students are the same as for the registration of students for the College. See the General Catalogue, page 140, or the University calendar.

Students who enter the School of Law for the Spring term without having matriculated for the fall term, should present themselves for matriculation at the end of the mid-year examinations, as shown in the University Calendar in this Catalogue. Students, however, are advised to enter at the Fall term, if it is possible.

DEGREE OF LL. B.

The degree of Bachelor of Laws (LL. B.) will be conferred upon students who have satisfactorily completed the entire courses prescribed for the Junior and Senior classes of the Law School, and who satisfy the following conditions:

(*a*) Candidates must have completed academic courses equivalent to the work of the Freshman and Sophomore classes in the University.

(*b*) Candidates must present satisfactory theses on legal subjects approved by the Dean.

(*c*) Candidates must have spent at least one year in residence at the University as students in the School of Law.

In the discretion of the Law Faculty, credit may be given to candidates for courses completed in other Schools of Law of recognized standing.

Plans have been considered for enlarging and lengthening the curriculum, and the Law Faculty has been authorized to formulate a three years' course of study for candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Laws. It is not considered wise to make this change at present, and it will be duly announced in the Catalogue.

DEGREES OF A. B. AND LL. B.

The University offers also the combined degrees of A. B. and LL. B. for the successful completion of the following requirements:

1. The courses in the College outlined below.

2. All academic work to be completed by the end of the last regular examination period of the Junior Year of the candidate.

3. The completion of all the courses in the School of Law prescribed for the LL. B. degree.

4. The presentation of a satisfactory thesis on a legal subject approved by the Dean of the School of Law.

Prescribed academic work:

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR		THIRD YEAR
	Eng. 1–2 (3)		Eng. 3–4 (3)	
	Eng. 11–12 (1)		Lat. 3–4 (3)	Econ. 1–2 (3)
	Math. 1–2 (4)		Hist. 3–4 (3)	Philos. 1–2 (3)
	Lat. 1–2 (4)	Select one	Greek 3–4 (3)	Eng. (3)
Select one	Greek 1–2 (4)		French 3–4 (3)	Hist. (3)
	French 1–2 (3)		Ger. 21–22 (3)	Elective (3)
	Ger. 1–2 (3)	Select one	Math. 3–4 (3)	
	Hist. 1–2 (3)		Phys. 1–2 (3)	
			Chem. 1–2 (3)	

CERTIFICATES

Any student who has been in regular attendance in the School of Law and who has satisfactorily completed one or more courses is entitled to a certificate of attendance and standing.

NUMBER OF HOURS OF WORK REQUIRED OR PERMITTED

No student will be permitted to take more than eighteen hours of work weekly except with the special permission of the Faculty.

No student, unless he is also taking other courses in the University, will be permitted to take less than ten hours of work weekly, nor will a student taking less than ten hours weekly be considered as studying law within the rule of the Supreme Court requiring two years' study of law as a necessary preliminary of applicants for license to practice in North Carolina.

COURSES OF INSTRUCTION

The courses offered and the general order in which they are taken up are indicated in the following programme of studies which is arranged to cover two years, known as the Junior Year and the Senior Year. The method of instruction varies in the different courses. In some text-books and lectures with collateral

reading of cases form the basis of work. In others the subject is developed directly from the study of selections of decided cases, and quizzes thereon.

Junior Year

FALL TERM

ELEMENTARY LAW: a general outline of the field of legal studies; Clark's *Elementary Law. Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

CONTRACTS: the general principles of contract; Benjamin and Messing's *Cases on Contracts;* lectures. *Four hours a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

PERSONS: Domestic relations, including husband and wife with marriage and divorce, parent and child, guardian and ward, infancy, insanity, drunkenness, and aliens; textbook to be announced later. *Two hours a week.* Professor MCGEHEE.

BAILMENTS: bailments, carriers, telegraphs, and telephones; Goddard's *Cases on Bailments and Carriers. Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

AGENCY: Mechem's *Cases on Agency. Two hours a week.* Professor MCGEHEE.

PROPERTY: a rapid outline of Personal Property, after which the study of Real Property is begun; lectures; Kirchwey's *Readings in Real Property;* Finch's *Cases on the Law of Property in Land. Three hours a week.* Professor MCGEHEE.

SPRING TERM

CRIMINAL LAW: Derby's *Cases on Criminal Law,* with statutes and selected cases. *Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

TORTS: Burdick's *Cases on Torts. Three hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

SALES: Erwin's *Cases on Sales. Two hours a week.* Professor MCGEHEE.

NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS: Huffcut's *Cases on Negotiable Instruments,* and *The Negotiable Instrument Law. Two hours a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

QUASI-CONTRACTS: lectures and selected cases. *One hour a week.* Professor McGEHEE.

PROPERTY: a continuation of the course begun in the preceding term; same textbooks: *Three hours a week.* Professor McGEHEE.

PLEADING AND PRACTICE: a study of remedies and pleading, which continues throughout the remainder of the student's course, is begun. This term is devoted to common law remedies and common law pleading. Sunderland's *Cases in Common Law Pleading. Two hours a week.* Professor McGEHEE.

Senior Year

FALL TERM

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW: McClain's *Cases on Constitutional Law* and selected cases; lectures. *Four hours a week.* Professor McGEHEE.

EQUITY: Bispham's *Principles of Equity. Three hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

EVIDENCE: Hughes on *Evidence,* selected cases. *Three hours a week.* Professor McINTOSH.

INSURANCE: Richard's *Cases on Insurance. Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

FEDERAL COURTS: The United States Courts Cases; the study of the law and procedure in selected topics; Hughes on *Federal Jurisdiction. One hour a week.* Professor McINTOSH.

PLEADING AND PRACTICE: pleading under the American code system. *North Carolina Code of Civil Procedure;* lectures. One meeting of the class each week is devoted to the preparation of actual pleadings and other practice forms. *Three hours a week.* Professor McINTOSH.

SPRING TERM

PRIVATE CORPORATIONS: Textbook to be announced. *Three hours a week.* Professor McGEHEE.

*PUBLIC CORPORATIONS: Macy's *Cases on Municipal Corporations. Two hours a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

*BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY: Assignment for Benefit of Creditors, Creditor's Remedies, and the Federal Bankruptcy Act; lectures, selected cases. Students' Remington on *Bankruptcy. Two hours a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

PARTNERSHIP: Mechem's *Cases on Partnership. Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

*SURETYSHIP: Bunker's *Cases on Suretyship. One hour a week.* Professor WINSTON.

Alternates with Conflict of Laws. To be given in 1915-16.

WILLS AND ADMINISTRATION: Costigan's *Cases on Wills and Administration. Two hours a week.* Professor WINSTON.

*CONFLICT OF LAWS: lectures and cases. *One hour a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

Alternates with Suretyship. To be omitted in 1915-16.

*ADMIRALTY: Hughes on *Admiralty. One hour a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE: a continuation of the work of the first term with especial reference to equity pleading and extraordinary remedies. *Three hours a week.* Professor MCINTOSH.

* From the subjects marked with an asterisk the student may omit a course or courses amounting to two hours of work weekly, devoting the time gained to the preparation of his thesis.

SCHEDULE OF LAW RECITATIONS

Senior Studies in CAPS; Junior in small type

	8:30	9:45	10:40	11:35	12:30
Fall	PLEAD.	CONST. L.	FED. CTS.	Agency	EVIDENCE
MONDAY					
Spring	PLEAD.	PRIV. CORP.	Bills & Notes	Sales	BANKRUPTCY
Fall	Persons	EQUITY	Contracts	Property	CONST. LAW
TUESDAY					
Spring	Plead	PART'SH P	Torts	Property	MUN. CORP.
Fall	Elem. Law	CONST. L.	Bailments	INSURANCE	Contracts
WEDNESDAY					
Spring	Crim. Law	PRIV. CORP.	Bills & Notes	WILLS	BANKRUPTCY
Fall	PLEAD.	EQUITY	Contracts	Property	EVIDENCE
THURSDAY					
Spring	PLEAD.	SURETYS'	Torts	Property	ADMIRALTY
Fall	Elem. Law	CONST. L.	Bailments	INSURANCE	Agency
FRIDAY					
Spring	Crim. Law	PRIV. CORP.	Quasi-Contr.	WILLS	Sales
Fall	Persons	EQUITY	Contracts	Property	EVIDENCE
SATURDAY					
Spring	Plead	PART'RSHIP	Torts	Property	MUN. CORP.

MOOT COURT

A Moot Court for practice in the preparation of pleadings, the argument of law points, and the actual conduct of trials is a feature of the school. It is conducted by the students with the assistance and co-operation of the Faculty. The court meets weekly, a member of the Faculty presiding.

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES OF UNIVERSITY LIFE

Students in the Law School will be admitted without additional expense to the course given in the Departments of Economics and of History in the College of Liberal Arts and to the courses in Public Speaking and English, subject to the rules stated as to

the number of hours which a student may take. A student taking such a course must satisfy the entrance requirements for the course selected.

Students of the School may become members of the Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies, where they may take part in or witness debates of a high order and train themselves in parliamentary law. As students of the University they enjoy all the privileges of the University library, the University gymnasium, and the organizations of the University generally, literary, social, and athletic.

THE LAW LIBRARY

The law library is housed in the Law Building and contains about 5,000 volumes. The annual revenue of a fund raised by the former students and friends of the late Professor John Manning, LL. D., who presided over the School for many years, is devoted to the purchase of books for the library. Free access to the Library is allowed to the students of the School, though they are not permitted to take the books from the building.

PRIZES

THE HENRY R. BRYAN PRIZE: Mr. Shepard Bryan of the Atlanta Bar offers annually, in honor of his father, the Honorable Henry R. Bryan of Newbern, N. C., a set of Cooley's Insurance Briefs to that member of the Senior Law Class who shall submit the best thesis upon an approved legal subject.

CALLAGAN & COMPANY, LAW PUBLISHERS, CHICAGO, PRIZE: A copy of the Cyclopedic Law Dictionary is offered by the publishers to that member of the Senior Class who obtains the best general average in his work for the year.

CLARK PRIZES: The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina offers a prize to be awarded semi-annually to the student of the University Law School applying to the Court for license to practice law at the bar examinations in August and February, who is in the judgment of the Faculty best prepared to take the bar examination.

FEES AND EXPENSES

Tuition for Fall and Spring terms, each....$35.00
Registration fees 15.00

There are no scholarships in the School. Good board is furnished at Swain Hall for $12.50 a month. In the village board without rooms may be secured for from $10 to $16.50 a month.

The rent of rooms in the dormitories ranges from seventy-five cents to $6.00 a month, for each occupant; and for each room a charge of one dollar a month is made for electric light and one dollar a month for heat.

ADMISSION TO THE BAR OR NORTH CAROLINA

Admission to the bar of North Carolina is under the direct control of the Supreme Court of the State. The rules of the Court as to the examination and licensing of applicants are given on page 160. Where circumstances and means permit, the reading should be done at a regular school of law. But the requirements of the rule may be satisfied by private reading. Students who have read law for a year privately or in a law office may, by attending the school for one year, beginning either in September or January, and by attending a term of the summer school, have an opportunity to study or review the course required by the Supreme Court of applicants for license.

To do this it will be necessary for such students to select, with the approval of the Faculty, subjects from the regular courses of both the Junior and Senior years. Such a course is not advised or approved except in cases where limited means render it a regrettable necessity. Two years spent in systematic study under competent instructors is a minimum period for mastering even the elements of so wide, complicated, and technical a subject as the law. The student should remember that he is preparing for his life-work, and only detriment to that life-work can in general result from a feverish anxiety to cut short the period of preparation and to abridge the studies which experience has marked out for the acquisition of the necessary qualifications.

THE SUMMER LAW SCHOOL

A session of the School of Law extending over a period of ten weeks is maintained during each summer, during which is provided a review of the course prescribed by the Supreme Court of North Carolina for applicants for license, and an opportunity for instruction for men who cannot become resident students during the scholastic year.

SESSION

The term for the summer of 1915 begins June 17 and ends August 27, three days prior to the examination before the Supreme Court for admission to the Bar of North Carolina.

LECTURES AND RECITATIONS

At this session two daily lectures and recitations of one hour and a half each will be held by professors of the Law Faculty and competent instructors. In addition there will be frequent quizzes. The two courses offered are intended to cover the requirements for reading prescribed, given below, in the rules of the Supreme Court of North Carolina. The instruction is conducted by means of text-books, lectures, leading cases, quizzes, and moot court.

An outline of the work and of the time assigned to the various subjects is approximately as follows:

Domestic Relation (6 lectures); Contracts (18 lectures); Torts (12 lectures); Corporations (6 lectures); Evidence (6 lectures); Pleading and the Code (12 lectures); Criminal Law (8 lectures); Personal Property (6 lectures); Real Property (20 lectures); Executors and Administrators (6 lectures); Equity (9 lectures); Constitutional Law (9 lectures); Legal Ethics (2 lectures).

The text-books used will be, as far as possible, those used at the regular session of the school, but any standard text-book on any of these subjects will be accepted.

EXAMINATIONS

No entrance examination is required; but each student must satisfy the faculty that he has sufficient general education to en-

able him to take the course with profit to himself. Examinations are required as each subject is completed, and at the end of the term certificates to that effect are issued to such students as have passed with credit all examinations in both courses. These certificates will not entitle the recipients to any credit in the work of the regular school.

FEES AND EXPENSES

Tuition for term	$30.00
Registration and Incidental Fees	5.00

The above mentioned fees cover privileges of the University library, gymnasium, and baths. Board in the village, with room, will cost from $10 to $20 a month; without room, from $10 to $15.

For further information address the President of the University or the Dean of the School of Law, Chapel Hill, N. C.

RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA AS TO ADMISSION TO THE BAR

1. Applicants for license to practice law will be examined on the first Monday in February and the last Monday in August of each year, and at no other time. All examinations will be in writing.

2. Each applicant must have attained the age of twenty-one years or will arrive at that age before the time for the next examination, and must have studied: Ewell's Essentials, 3 vols.; Clark on Corporations; Schouler on Executors; Bispham's Equity; Clark's Code of Civil Procedure; Volume 1, Revisal (1905) of North Carolina; Constitution of North Carolina; Constitution of the United States; Creasy's English Constitution; Sharswood's Legal Ethics; Sheppard's Constitutional Textbook; Cooley's Principles of Constitutional Law. *Or their equivalents.*

Each applicant must have read law for two years at least, and file a certificate of good moral character, signed by two members of the bar who are practicing attorneys of this Court, and also a certificate of a Dean of a Law School, or of a member of the bar of this Court that the applicant has read law under his instruction or to his knowledge or satisfaction, for two years, and upon examination by said instructor has been found competent and proficient in said course. Such certificate, while indispensable, will, of course, not be conclusive evidence of proficiency. An applicant from another state can file a certificate of good moral character signed by any State officer of the state from which he comes. * * * *

3. Each applicant shall deposit with the clerk the sum of $23.50 for the license and the clerk's fee before he shall be examined. * * * *